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§ 153.336 Special cargo pump or pumproom requirements.

- (a) When Table 1 refers to this section:
- (1) The cargo pump must be an intank cargo pump;
- (2) The cargo pumproom must be on or above the weatherdeck; or
- (3) The cargo pumproom must have the specific approval of the Commandant (G-MSO).
- (b) For a cargo pumproom described in paragraph (a)(2) or (a)(3) the tankship must:
- (1) Have a low pressure breathing quality air supply system for use with the breathing apparatus in the pumproom; or
- (2) Meet any requirements specified by the Commandant (G-MSO).
- (c) A low pressure air supply system described in paragraph (b)(1) of this section must:
- (1) Run from fixed air bottles to the pumproom;
- (2) Have an air compressor to recharge the fixed air bottles;
- (3) have hose connections in the pumproom suitable for use with the breathing apparatus required in §153.214(b)(1); and
- (4) have the air capacity to enable two men to work in the pumproom for at least one hour each without using the cartridges for the breathing apparatus required in §153.214(b)(1).

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CARGO VENTING SYSTEMS

§ 153.350 Location of B/3 vent discharges.

Except as prescribed in §153.353, a B/3 venting system must discharge:

- (a) At the highest of the following points:
- (1) 6m (approx. 19.7 ft) above the weatherdeck.
 - (2) B/3 above the weatherdeck.
- (3) 6m (approx. 19.7 ft) above a walkway, if the walkway is within a 6m (approx. 19.7 ft) horizontal radius from the vent discharge.

(b) At least 15m (approx. 49.2 ft) from air intakes for, or openings into, accommodation and service spaces.

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§153.351 Location of 4m vent discharges.

Except as prescribed in §153.353, a 4m venting system must discharge:

- (a) At least 4m (approx. 13.1 ft) above the higher of:
 - (1) the weatherdeck; or
- (2) any walkway that is within a 4m (approx. 13.1 ft) horizontal radius from the vent discharge.
- (b) At least 10m (approx. 32.8 ft) from air intakes for, or openings into, accommodation or service spaces.

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153.352 B/3 and 4 m venting system outlets.

A B/3 or 4 m venting system outlet must:

- (a) Discharge vertically upwards; and
- (b) Prevent precipitation from entering the vent system.

§153.353 High velocity vents.

The discharge point of a B/3 or 4m venting system must be located at least 3m (approx. 10 ft) above the weatherdeck or walkway if:

- (a) The discharge is a vertical, unimpeded jet;
- (b) The jet has a minimum exit velocity of 30 m/sec (approx. 98.4 ft/sec); and
- (c) The high velocity vent has been approved by Commandant (G-MSO).

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§153.354 Venting system inlet.

A venting system must terminate in the vapor space above the cargo when the tank is filled to a 2 percent ullage and the tankship has no heel or trim.

§153.355 PV venting systems.

When Table 1 requires a PV venting system, the cargo tank must have a PV valve in its vent line. The PV valve must be located between the tank and any connection to another tank's vent line (such as a vent riser common to two or more tanks).